REQUEST for CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Application	n Number	10/585,846
Filing Date		May 9, 2007
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Group Art Unit		2173
Examiner Name		Patrick F. Riegler
Attorney Docket Number		2006_1060A
Confirmati	on No.	1638

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8,

1995, c	r to any design application. See Instruction Shee	of for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.			
1,	Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).				
	a. [X] Previously submitted. If a final Office Action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office Action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.				
	[] Please consider the argume [] Other	ents in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on			
	b. [] Enclosed: I. [] Amendment/Reply				
	H. [] Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)				
	III. [] Information Disclosure Sta	ntement (IDS)			
	IV. {} Other:				
2.	Miscellaneous				
	a. [] Suspension of action on the above-identified application is required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months (period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required).				
	h. [] Other				
3.	Fees (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)				
		. () RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)			
	III. [] Other:				
	b. [] Check in the amount of \$ enclosed				
	c. [X] Payment is made by Credi: Card for the following fees in the amount of \$940.00:				
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	II. [X] Extension of time fee (37 that III. [1] Other:	C.P.R. § 1.130 and § 1.17)			
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